then spread stable manure over it you made it." next year the oats were a failure figures with him to be sure it's with a tormenting itching skin on that spot they grew up a little, right. any other in the field, but there eighteen cents?" were too much ashes for oats the "I'm a little steep even at fifteen, ed, what I consider a permanent first year .- Country Gentlemen.

#### Intelligent Stock Breeding.

A Wisconsin paper gives the substance of an address on this topic by Prof. Henry, of the experiment station of that state. He in harmony in the matter of breed are thinking of moving down "I am astonished! Have you ing. He advised them to work there." together, to co-operate in securing "Irn't that fine?" he queried, as lessons so soon?" first class sires, help each other he flung down a bolt. out, get a good animal in the secure a car load of uniform stock, the colors fast?" whether they be cows, steers, swine, or horses. If one raises Jerseys, another Holstein, and another something else, it is difficult starch go out." to find enough of one class to tempt a buyer to that community. While if there is a dozen breeders baving the same class of animals, the light remarked: buyers would be attracted, as it would give them but little more thing else 1" expense of time and traveling to would to go there and buy one living with us now." man's stock. For this reason a "Ten yards?" uniformity of efforts would be largely beneficial to all and would bring much more money to the farmers of a neighborhood in a carry any thing extra around. Six term of years than by raising a and a half might do." variety of breeds.

#### Milk From thin Cows,

When a cow is thin, and especially if she be losing flesh, her milk say eight, but I kno v I'll have a cannot be rich in fat, and what hunk of cloth left. Do you war there is will make poor butter, and rant this fast color?" come slowly. This is the trouble that many farmers find at the beginning of winter. Cream that could be made into butter in fifteen or twenty minutes has now to be and eyes, buttons and a paper of churned an hour or more. The needles." remedy is to feed the cows more heavily, and with something that "Mr. Perkins!" she continues as will increase fat as well as milk as she retreats a step, "we've been flow. If the cow be worth keep- trading with you for twenty-two ing as a milker she will not dry up long years, and we've allus settled and become beefy under such our bill our bill the last of each treatment. If she does it is a fair year." warning that she is worth more "I know it." to the butcher than for the dairy. "And now you want to be stingy American Cultivator.

Sheep should not be housed in large numbers under the same takes all the profit off. Any thing roof says the American Sheep else ?" Breeder. The breath of so many together poisons the air and renders it noxious to breathe. A practical shepherd estimates that are five cents apiece. not more than fifty should be sta- "Pil never pay it. Pil wait no blep under the same roof. It is til Mr. Day is going down to much better to build several small Strongsville. I've been told they sheds at convenient points than were two for five there ' one large building.

Wagons should be kept well else ?"

greased. Grease is cheaper than "Nothing, I guess. I've got to horse flesh, and as the roads in the run around to Hannah Joy's to give winter season do not always per- her a cure for rheumatism in the mit of the use of light wagons the elbor, and while I am gone you draught on the horses should be can empty my crock and basket, kept at the minimum point, and put the parcels in the buggy, and of the wagons as well as the labor of the horses.

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"Pshaw!"

on a field that had a poor spot in home first! Peddler offered me twelve months, was no longer which nothing of any amount twenty for butter and eighteen for necessary.

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Before planting I took the ashes tinware, you know. I'm giving which time I commenced taking from the last year's leach and the going price; might say half a S. S. S. I have had only one at spread them over this poor place, cent more on the butter, being as tack, and that was when I neglect-

the same as the rest of the field .- "Well, I s'pose I'll have to take the same as the rest of the field.— "Well, I s'pose I'll have to take tive medicine.

The corn grew larger on that poor it; but that's awful. Bring it in." tive medicine.

Bolling, Ala. spot where the ashes were than on There's nine pounds of butter any other part of the field. The and eleven dozen eggs and she

half headed, fell down and died .- "Can't get over the the low price great annoyance, and loss of sleep. The crop of rye following and all other crops since, even the grass, total agrees on both sheets of have been better on that spot than paper. "Sure you didn't mean take Swift's Specine (S. S. ), a

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"Oh, yes."

"Looks to me as if the feathers

fingers, and after holding it up to a check.

"I suppose I'll have to. Any-

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"1 do." "No starch ?"

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"Oh, I couldn't do that."

with us! I guess I'll drive on to Strongsville,"

"Well I'll throw 'em in, but it

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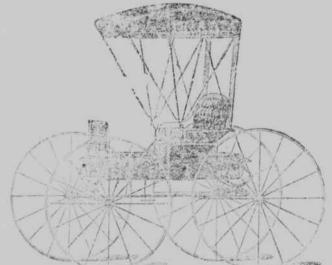
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